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Applicant(s) : Joseph A.A.M. Tourne  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 12, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendment to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.